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Elder A. B. Aycock, Asst. Secretary.....R. F. D. Pikeville, N. C.

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Elder C. R. D. Whitfield, Elder B. J. Gregory, Elder H. O. Wiggs, Elder J. C. Artice, Elder S. L. Lofton, Elder W. B. Parks, Elder W. G Best.

TRUSTEES.

Elder H. D. Davis, Chairman, Elder W. A. Fordham, Secretary, Elder C. R. D. Whitfield, Treasurer, Elder W. G. Best.

PROCEEDINGS.

Ayden, N. C, October 23rd, 1928.

In pursuance of the Fifty-Sixth Annual Session of the Disciples of Christ of the Goldsboro-Raleigh District, the Fifty-seventh session met on the above date with the Church of Christ in Ayden, N. C., Elder H. D. Davis, pastor.

The meeting was formally opened by the Chief, who sang a suitable hymn followed by scripture reading from the 5th chapter of Matthew by Elder J. E. Dunn. The prayer was offered by Elder P. H. Moss.

The Chief, Elder W. A. Fordham, thanked the Assembly for the support given him during the year and urged continued loyalty to the Church and its principles.

After a few minutes of recreation the meeting was again opened.

Elder B J. Gregory, who was appointed to preach the Annual Assembly sermon, brought a great message from the text: "And as many as walk by this rule, peace be on them, and mercy, and upon the Israel of God." (Gal. 6:16). He showed how the Indians have rules governing their matrimonial relations and how scrupulous they are in the observance of them and applied the principle to all Disciples of Christ desirous of living in conformity with the teaching of Christ and the Apostles. He made a pathetic plea to the young ministers to sustain the work which the older ministers have labored so faithfully to establish.

Elder R Croom extended the invitation. Elder Fordham commented and presented the Finance Solicitors who raised an offering of $6 60.

Announcements. Doxology. Benediction by Elder R. Croom.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION.

Devotionals conducted by Elder C. R. D Whitfield and Elder J. E Dunn, Assistant Chief. After the close of the devotionals the Chief made remarks and announced the house in order for the transaction of business. At this point he took the opportunity to deliver his annual message.

He stated among other things that he had receteived requests from many individuals and groups but did not consider all of them of great importance. He found some minor disturbances at Vanceboro and Bailey. He, with assistance of the Council Board settled the matter of selecting a site for the church at Mount Olive. He found practically all the trouble to be due to misguided church boards and irresponsible ministers.

He said business of vital importance prevented him from attending the National Convention at Chicago.

Before the various committees were appointed the question concerning the authority of the Council Board arose. The house ruled that the Council Board is empowered to act in matters of business for the Assembly during the intervening of the same.

It was proposd and agreed that the Chief and the house appoint the Committee on Permanent Organization.

The following persons were appointed as committee on permanent organization: Elders C. H Cordon, B. J. Gregory, H. O. Wiggs, B. C Whitfield, P. R Mewborn, Fred Williams.

When the committee retired the Chief presented Prof. P. H. Moss, Secretary of Religious Education, who brought a brief but interesting message on "The World Task of the Disciples of Christ."

Elder O. Zollar, of the Piedmont District, brought greetings from that section of the field. He urged the practice of harmony and co-operation on the part of all Christians.

The Committee on Permanent Organization made a report that was not

acceptable to the body. The committee was discharged and the following were appointed: Elders W. B. Parks, E. F. Johnson, J. H. Rouse, S. L. Loftin, W. G. Best.

The committee recommended the following for officers of the Assembly for 1929: Chief, Elder W. A. Fordham; Assistant Chief, Elder J. E. Dunn; Secretary, Elder J. F. Whitfield; Assistant Secretary, Elder A. B. Aycock.

The report of the committee was adopted and the committee discharged.

Then the officers thanked the Assembly for the honor conferred upon them and for the confidence imposed on them.

The following committees were appointed:

1. Divine Worship—Bros. John Dunn, Charles Edwards, Sisters Ellen Giles, Gladys Burnett, Annie Elks, Mary Boykins, Bro. J. B. Barnes.
2. Statistics—Elders W. G. Best, B. C. Whitfield, L. D. Wiggs.
3. Examination for Ordination—Elders J. L. Lee, E. F. Johnson, J. C. Artis.
4. Temperance—Elders E. Z. Coley, I. W. Faison, J. S. Johnson, J. H. Frazier, J. C. Person.
5. Grievance—Elders R. Croom, W. M. King, A. Parker, G. B. Barden, Z. B. Quinerly.
6. Bible Schools—Sisters Martha J. Atkinson, Martha Ellis, Flossie Sanders, Annie Smith, Eleanor Whitfield, Bros. E. L. Battle, W. M. McLaurin.
7. Eulogy—Sisters Lillie Hatcher, Viola Smith, Hattie Williams, Lucy Harrison, Almeta Sanders, Elders James Graham, W. W. Webb.
8. Ministerial Character—Bros. L. H. Bryant, B. F. Jarman, J. D. Phillips, J. F. Royal, Sisters Fanny Jones, Rachel Dancy, Bettie Nicholson.
9. New Churches—Elders W. M. Godwin, F. W. Williams, J. F. Graham, W. I. Hawkins, Bros. Henry Beaman, Zoller Harne, Sister Emma Powell
10. Finance—Elders H. D. Davis, J. H. Rouse.
11. Finance Solicitors—Elders S. L. Lofton, P. R. Mewborn.
12. Marshalls—Elders J. H. Smith, J. S. Ray.
13. Mail Carrier—Elder H. A. Whitfield

The Chief, Elder W. A. Fordham, charged the committees and appointed the following as a committee on Order of Business—Elders H. L. Shepherd, R. B. Banks, J. H. Smith. This committee recommended the Order of Business as outlined in General Assembly minutes of last session

The Committee on Divine Worship recommended Elder James Graham to preach Tuesday night and Elder E. Z. Coley his alternate. For Wednesday, 11:00 A. M., Elder J. S. Ray to preach, Elder R. B. Banks his alternatel

The report was adopted.

TUESDAY NIGHT SERVICE.

The devotional service was conducted by Elder J C. Person, Elder A. Parker and Elder J. S Ray.

After singing several beautiful selections and reading scripture lesson from the 4th chapter of Acts the choir gave a splendid rendition; the devotional leaders requested the pastor to call for those who were to take part in the welcoming exercises.

The first number was an address of welcome on behalf of the community by Mrs. O L. Patrick, response by Prof. P. H. Moss, and an address of welcome on behalf of the public schools by Prof. C. M. Suggs, principal of Ayden Graded Schools Response by Elder O. Zollar. This was followed by a selection by the choir.

Then Elder Parker presented Elder E. Z. Coley who preached a very spirit-

ual sermon from the text: "Out of Egypt have I called my Son." (Matt 2:15).
Elder A. Parker commented and extended the invitation.
The Chief made remarks.
The Finance Solicitors raised an offering of $11.70.
Announcements. Doxology. Benediction by Elder W. R. Steely.

WEDNESDAY MORNING SESSION.

The Assembly met pursuant to adjournment at 9:30 with Assistant Chief, Elder J. E. Dunn leading devotionals. Prayer was offered by Elder J. H. Frazier.

The Chief announced the house in order for the transaction of business. Then the minutes of the previous day's session were read and adopted.

The order of business was calling roll of Elders, Local Ministers, Delegates, and churches. (See roll and statistical table)

At 11:00 o'clock, the hour for preaching, Elder R. B. Banks, opened by singing, "Come Holy Spirit Heavenly Dove," and read the 15th chapter of 1st Corinthians. Prayer was offerd by Elder J. H. Frazier.

Elder J. S. Ray preached from the subject. "Faith." (Heb. 11:16). The sermon was both interesting and inspiring. Elder Banks extended the invitation.

The Finance Solicitors raised the amount of $8.00. Announcements.
Doxology. Benediction by the Chief.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION.

Assembly met pursuant to adjournment. Devotionals conducted by Elder C. R. D. Whitfield and Elder J. H. Frazier.

Then the Chief announced the house in order for the dispatch of business.

Calling roll of Elders, etc., continued.

It was proposed and agreed that Elder Frazier be not charged with his dues at this Assembly.

Bro. J. H. Artis, received by Elder Davis from the , Baptist communion made remarks concerning his conversion to the principles of the Church of Christ, and pledged himself to its cause.

Calling of roll was resumed. (See roll).

Mr. Grantham brought greetings from Rosemary, N. C., and placed several good bocks at the disposal of the delegation for a very small sum of money.

At this point the committee on divine worship selected Elder I. W. Faison to preach at 8:00 P. M., and Elder H. L. Shepherd his alternate; Elder J. H. Rouse to preach at 11:00 A. M., Thursday, and Elder G. B. Barden, alternate.

Announcements. Adjournment.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SERVICE.

Devotionals led by Elder H. L. Shepherd. He selected the 8th chapter of Romans for scripture reading.

Elder Fordham presented Elder W R. Steely, Chief of the Washington-Norfolk Assembly, who, as delegate from that district, made a very comprehensive report on the work done during the year.

Then Elder I. W. Faison preached an interesting sermon from the subject: "The Power of the Gospel of the Son of God." (Rom. 1:16). The speaker made a fine impression, the result of which was a hearty response on the part of those who heard him.

Elder Shepherd closed, extending the invitation.

The finance solicitors raised $20.35.

The pastor made announcements and closed the service.

THURSDAY MORNING SESSION.

The Assembly met pursuant to adjournment at 9:30 Devotionals led by Elder E. F. Johnson. The 17th chapter of John was the scripture read and Elder G. B. Barden offered prayer.

The Chief, Elder W. A. Fordham, made remarks concerning the welfare of the Church work in the district and the future possibility of its growth and development. He said, among other things, "The young minister should study for the attainment of efficiency in preaching and in pastoral work." He said this could be done by purchasing suitable books and studying at every possible convenience. He emphasized the necessity of those applying for ordination having some actual work organized or some place in view where a church might be established. He voiced in no uncertain terms his disappointment over the inactivity of those who seem to enter the ministry without serious intention of evangelizing the unexplored fields where tangible work is needed to be done.

Elder C. R D. Whitfield, Supervisor, spoke on the history of the Disciples in Eastern North Carolina, and urged all to familiarize themselves with the progress of the church in the State. He said this could be done by purchasing "A Brief History of the Colored Disciples in North Carolina," which he is the author of. He expressed his intention of writing a history embracing all essential phases of the work from its inception to the present.

Then the Chief announced the house in order for the transaction of business.

The minutes of the previous day's session were read and adopted.

The calling of the roll was resumed (See Statistical table).

Adjournment.

THURSDAY MORNING SERVICE.

Elder G. B. Barden conducted the devotionals. He read the 17th chapter of Acts, and Elder H L. Shepherd offered prayer.

Elder J. H. Rouse preached eloquently from the subject: "God Wants a Representative." (Text: Acts 17:23). Elder Barden extended the invitation.

The Finance Solicitors raised an offering of $8.25.

Announcements. Benediction.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Assembly met pursuant to adjournment at 2:00 o'clock.

Devotionals conducted by the Chief and Elder J. C Leathers, who offered prayer after the singing.

The Chief made remarks and announced the house in order for the dispatch of business.

The committee on Divine worship made the following report.

We recommend that Elder W. R. Steely preach at 8:00 P. M., and Elder B. C. Whitfield be his alternate.

We recommend that Elder O. Zollar preach at the Baptist Church at the same hour and Elder E. F. Johnson be his alternate.

We also recommend that Elder P. H. Howell preach at 11:00 o'clock Friday A.M , and Elder J. C. Artis be his alternate.

The recommendations were adopted.

The calling of the roll of churches was resumed. (See Statistical table.)

The hour of adjournment having arrived the session closed for the day.

THURSDAY NIGHT SERVICE.

Devotionals led by Elder B C. Whitfield. He read the 16th chapter of Luke for scripture lesson. Elder C. R. D. Whitfield offered prayer. The choir from Phillippi, Greenville, gave splendid renditions.

Elder W. R. Steely, Chief of the Washington-Norfolk Assembly, preached a forceful, logical and eloquent sermon from Luke 16:25. He did all that could be hoped for in the way of impressing upon his audience the fact of sure retribution for the righteous and the unrighteous at the last day.

Elder B. C. Whitfield made appropriate comment and extended the invitation.

The Chief made announcements, and the Finance Solicitors raised $21.55.

Doxology. Benediction.

THURSDAY NIGHT PREACHING AT BAPTIST CHURCH.

At 7:30 o'clock Elder E. Z. Coley opened by singing, "How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds." Bro. L Troublefield offered prayer. Elder J. F. Whitfield read the 9th chapter of Hebrews.

Elder O. Zollar, pastor of the Church of Christ in Reidsville, N. C., Piedmont District, was presented by Elder Whitfield. Elder Zollar preached a very instructive sermon from the subject: "The Will of God Must Be Done." His argument was based upon the following outline:

1. The one who wills must have property.
2. He must have some one to will it to.
3. He must be in his right mind.
4. It must be made before witnesses.

Elder Whitfield extended the invitation.

The Finance Solicitors raised $5.50.

Doxology. Benediction by Elder E. Z. Coley.

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION.

The Assembly met pursuant to adjournment. The Chief conducted the devotional service, singing, "I Love Thy Kingdom Lord." Prayer was offered by Elder E F. Johnson. The 1st Psalm was read. Then "Saviour More Than Life to Me," was sung.

The Chief announced the house in order for the transaction of business.

The minutes of the previous day's session were read and adopted.

The calling of the roll was completed. And at this point an opportunity was given to those who wanted to make expressions to do so. Elder G. W. Kelly made remarks and thanked the Assembly for the consideration given him. He paid $1.00, though he is exempt from payment of dues.

Prof. P. H. Moss, Secretary of Religious Education, brought a fine message on "Co-operative Work." He urged the Ministers to acquaint themselves with the "Pension Fund of The Disciples of Christ." He also urged that religious literature published by the Disciples of Christ be used by the Bible Schools.

Brother Moss suggested that the Assembly make the Chief a present of a volumn of books. This was done to his surprise and great satisfaction

A collection of $6.50 was taken for the United Christian Missionary Society.

The various committees made their reports. (See committee reports.)

Adjournment

FRIDAY PREACHING SERVICE.

At 11:00 o'clock, the hour for worship service. Elder W. M. Hopson sang, "Down at the Cross." Bro. J. W. Fields offered prayer. Scripture reading selected from Phil. 4.

Elder P. H. Howell preached a very powerful and interesting sermon from John 10:16. The speaker did a credit to the occasion and to himself.

Elder Hopson closed the service, extending the invitation.

Collection was $15.00. Assistant Chief dismissed.

REPORT ON GRIEVANCES.

We, your Committee on Grievances, beg to make the following report: We found no case of grievance against any individual nor church.

Respectfully submitted,

ELDER R. CROOM,
ELDER W. M. KING,
ELDER G. B BARDEN,
ELDER Z. V. QUINERLY,
ELDER A. PARKER,
Committee.

REPORT ON MINISTERIAL CHARACTER.

We, your committee on Ministerial Character, wish to submit the following report:

We are not able to make a report that we should consider commendable of all our ministers. We recommend that more caution should be used by some in their conduct in general.

Respectfully submitted,

BRO. L H. BRYANT,
BRO. J. O. PHILLIPS,
BRO. B. F JARMAN,
BRO. J. F. ROYAL,
SISTER BETTIE NICHOLSON,
SISTER RACHEL DANCY,
SISTER FANNY JONES,
Committee.

REPORT ON NEW CHURCHES.

We, your committee on New Churches beg leave to make the following report.

We are in receipt of letters showing that we have a new church at Black Creek, Bro. J. H. Artis, pastor; and one at Sharpsburg, Bro J. C. Leathers, pastor.

Respectfully submitted.

ELDER F W. WILLIAMS,
ELDER WILLIAM GODWIN,
ELDER W. I. HAWKINS,
ELDER F. GRAHAM,
BRO. HENRY BEAMAN,
SISTER EMMA POWELL,
Committee.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Assembly met pursuant to adjournment. Devotionals conducted by Elder Dunn and Bro. R. B. Nicholson.

Then Elder Dunn announced the house in order for the transaction of business.

The reports of committees continued.

REPORT ON TEMPERANCE.

We, your committee on Temperance, wish to submit the following report:
We recommend that all ministers live free from intoxicating drinks and practice moderation in the use of all things that are not harmful.

Respectfully submitted,
ELDER E. Z. COLEY,
ELDER I. W. FAISON,
ELDER J. C. PERSON,
ELDER J. S. JOHNSON,
Committee.

REPORT ON SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

We, your committee on Sunday Schools, wish to submit the following report:
We found that only eight ministers attended the two Conventions. We found that 21 schools represented in the two Conventions. We found that there are 84 ministers enrolled and only 14 paid their dues.
We recommend that all pastors see that their Bible Schools are represented in their respective districts, and that each pastor attend both, his Bible Bible Schools and Convention. We also recommend that pastors failing to attend the Convention and pay their dues shall pay them at the Assembly.

Respectfully submitted,
BRO. E. L. BATTLE,
BRO. W. M. McLAURIN,
SISTER FLOSSIE SANDERS,
SISTER MARTHA ATKINSON
SISTER ANNIE SMITH,
SISTER MARTHA ELLIS,
SISTER ELENA WHITFIELD,
Committee.

REPORT ON EXAMINATION FOR ORDINATION.

We, your committee on Examination for Ordination, beg to make the following report:
Sixteen applicants came before us, but only four passed. They are: Bros. J. F. McLaurin; J. H. Artis, V. B. Nicholson, N. B. Chatman.
We recommend that the others return to their study of the Bible, history, English grammar, arithmetic, spelling, geography, writing.
We recommend that Bro. C. E. Chase and Bro. J. R. Fields, and Bro. K. K. Wiley appear at the Joint Union Meeting for consideration.

Respectfully submitted,
ELDER J. C. ARTIS,
ELDER J. L. LEE,
ELDER E. F. JOHNSON,
Committee.

REPORT ON FINANCE.

We, your committee on Finance, beg to make the following report:
We have received at this Assembly the sum of $1,940.85.

Respectfully submitted,
ELDER H. D. DAVIS,
ELDER J. H. ROUSE,
Committee.

REPORT ON STATISTICS..

We, your Committee on Statistics, wish to make the following report: (See table.)

Respectfully submitted,

ELDER B. C. WHITFIELD,
ELDER W. G. BEST,
ELDER L. D. WIGGS,
Committee.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SERVICE—EULOGISTIC.

The funeral service for the late Elder E. D. Warren, Elder R. L Brown and Elder John Edwards was conducted by Elder C. R. D. Whitfield and Elder J. S. Ray. The life of these men was beautifully portrayed by the speakers in their masterful, but pathetic, eulogistic messages.

The service was solemn and impressive.

Many relatives and friends of the deceased attended the service.

FRIDAY NIGHT SERVICE.

Service was opened by Elder F. W. Williams who sang, "I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say," and read the 24th chapter of Matthew. Elder J. H. Hill offered prayer. After singing Elder Williams presented Elder J. F. Whitfield, who preached an interesting and powerful sermon from I Cor. 1:23, 24. Subject: "Three Attitudes Toward the Cross."

Elder Williams extended the invitation.

Collection was $11.00.

Service at the other church was conducted simultaneously. Elder J. R. Pitt opened by singing, "Come Ye That Love the Lord," and read Matt. 5th chapter.

Elder W. B. Parks preached a powerful sermon from Matt. 22:42. The sermon was both interesting and inspiring.

Elder Pitt extended the invitation

The following persons were ordained: Bros. J. H. Artis, J. F. McLaurin, Z. B. Nicholson, N. B. Chatman.

The collection amounted to $3.70.

Benediction.

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR.

Ayden, N. C., October 25, 1928.

Dear Brethren: I thank Almighty God for His blessings bestowed upon this brotherhood and for enabling us all to meet again in such an august body to do business in His name.

The ministers all seem to be on the "firing line" and the churches of which they have charge are doing well in several ways.

We held a ministers' and deacons' meeting in June, 1928, at G. C. Institute which was very well attended. And I feel that this session was of great value to all who attended it. I regret that more of our ministers and deacons did not take advantage of it.

The next session will be held at G. C. I., Tuesday after the second Sunday in June, 1929. Every minister and deacon is requested to attend.

Now I pray that God's richest blessings may rest upon us all until we meet again.

Respectfully submitted.

ELDER C. R. D. WHITFIELD,
Supervisor.

SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT.

(1027—1928)

Kinston, N. C., St. Peters Church,
October 22, 1927.

Received at the Assembly		$ 1,388.25
Received on three school bills, past due		133.94
Total receipts		$ 1,522.19
Miscount (due to mixing unequal denominations)		17.65
Total actually received		$ 1,504.45
Paid out at this Assembly:		
To G. C. Campbell, on his note	$ 400.00	
To W. R. Steely, on School note in full	285.60	
To C. R. D. Whitfield, on School note	175.00	
To W. A. Fordham, on School note	85.25	
To Building and Loan note on school	424.75	
To three past due furniture bills	133.94	
Total paid out	$1504.54	—$ 1,504.54

Respectfully submitted,
C. R. D. WHITFIELD, Treasurer.
Ayden, N. C, October 26, 1928.

Received at this Assembly		$ 564.00
Paid to Elder W. A. Fordham for insurance		64.00
To Building and Loan Association		500.00
(This paid notes on School up to March 15, 1929.)		
Total paid out		$ 564.00

Nothing remains in hands of treasurer.

Respectfully submitted,
C. R. D. WHITFIELD, Treasurer.

REPORT OF ASSEMBLY TREASURER.

Ayden, N. C., October 26, 1928.

Received at this Assembly		$ 921.53
Paid out at this Assembly:		
To Chief W. A. Fordham, service	$ 20.00	
To Assistant Chief J. E. Dunn, service	15.00	
To Secretary J. F. Whitfield, service	20.00	
To Assistant Secretary A. B. Aycock, service	10.00	
To Statisticians (3)	24.00	
To Finance Committee	18.00	
To Board of Examiners	12.00	
To Printing, past due bills	60.00	
To Secretary for Ordination Certificates	3.00	
To Order Blanks for Treasurer	3.00	
To Mail Carrier	5.00	
To Marshals	10.00	
To Janitor, fuel, etc	10.00	
To Supervisor, C. R. D. Whitfield, service	20.00	
To Washington and Norfolk Assembly, delegate	12.00	
To Seven Councilmen for service and railroad fare	183.73	
To H. D. Davis, Trustee service	12.80	
To James Graham for loan on School Building	324.00	
Total paid out	$ 762.53	—$ 762.53
Balance on hand (on minutes)		$ 158.00

Respectfully submitted,
H. O. WIGGS, Treasurer.

REPORT OF SUPERANNUATE TREASURER.

Received at this Assembly	$ 201.00
Brought over from last Assembly	48.71
Total received	$ 249.71
Paid out at this Assembly to twenyt-seven superannuate members	$ 249.71
Balance on hand	$ 94.71

Respectfully submitted,
J. E. DUNN, Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE COUNCIL SESSION AT GREENVILLE, N. C.

Greenville, N. C., January 10, 1928.

The Council Boards of the Washington and Norfolk and Goldsboro-Raleigh Districts met in joint session in Greenville, N. C., on the above mentioned date, with the Philippi Church of Christ, Elder S. L. Loftin, pastor.

After a short devotional service the Chief announced the house in order for the transaction of business.

The two Chiefs made remarks concerning the purpose of the meeting and what had been brought before them for consideration.

Elder W. A. Fordham presented Elder Preston Taylor, President of the National Convention, and other visitors. They were given seats and voice in the proceedings.

The Chief appointed a Committee on Provision as follows: Elders T. H. Daniels, C. H. Cordon, and C. R. D. Whitfield. The committee retired and returned with the following report:

We recommend that in the absence of any from the Council Board, the Chief shall have power to appoint substitutes

Then the Committee on Rules respecting resident preachers and deacons was appointed as follows: Elders J. R. Spencer, W. G. Best, S. W. R. Keys.

This committee made the following report: That all deacons shall be subject to their pastors; failing to do so, they shall be excluded from their office by the church and pastor. This shall apply to all officers. And in case of need of assistance the pastor and church shall have right to call the Chief. And any resident minister belonging to the Disciples of Christ that shall be known to try to divide the congregation or cause any trouble his license shall be revoked by the chief and his assistant, and said offender shall be silenced until the next Assembly, or until he gives the church and pastor satisfaction.

At this point the meeting took recess.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The meeting was opened by singing, "I'll Go Where He Wants Me To Go." Elder Preston Taylor offered prayer. "My Soul be on Thy Guard," was sung. Then the house was pronounced in order for the dispatch of business.

The report of the above committee was discussed and adopted.

Elder Preston Taylor was then presented. He spoke of the National Convention and its object and invited the Disciples of Christ in this section to affiliate with it.

After he had finished his speech several ministers made expressions as to the impression they had received. The body voted expression of its desire to take the matter into consideration with the different churches.

The business session adjourned until Wednesday morning nine o'clock.

TUESDAY NIGHT SERVICE.

Service was opened by Elder W. R. Steely. After a short devotional service he presented Elder Preston Taylor who preached a powerful and eloquent sermon from the text: "Gather up the fragments."

The offering was $10.10.

Doxology. Benediction.

SECOND DAY SESSION.

The devotional service was conducted by Elders B. J. Gregory and S. R. W. Keys.

The house was announced in order for the dispatch of business.

The minutes of the previous day's session were read and adopted with the necessary corrections.

The Committee on Resolutions reported as follows:

We recommend that there be an annual Assembly every year. The Washington and Norfolk beginning Tuesday following the first Lord's Day in November, and the Goldsboro-Raleigh beginning Tuesday after the third Lord's Day in October; that there be a General Assembly every four years in the month of March, not earlier than the 15th nor later than the 20th. And each church shall send a deacon as delegate and all preachers shall attend.

Respectfully submitted,
ELDER W. G. BEST,
ELDER W. B. GIBBS,
ELDER B. J. GREGORY,
Committee.

Then the Boundary Committee was appointed as follows: Elders W. G. Best, C. H. Cordon, T. H. Daniels, J. R. Spencer, J. C. Artis. The committee retired, and returned with the following report:

We recommend that we all conform to resolution No. 50 in general minutes. The report was received and the committee relieved.

Elder Preston Taylor spoke words of encouragement as the time came for him to leave. He urged us to labor for the advancement of the G. C. I.

Then it was proposed and agreed that the Trustees make some repairs to the school building.

It was proposed and agreed that Elder W. A. Fordham be sent as delegate to the National Convention.

It was proposed and agreed that Chief, Elder W. R. Steely, represent the W. and N. District in the National Convention at Chicago.

Adjournment.

ELDERS AND ADDRESSES.

Elder W. A. Fordham, R.F.D. 2, Box 132, Goldsboro, N. C.	$ 5.00
Elder C. R. D. Whitfield, 216 E. Shine St., Kinston, N. C.	5.00
Elder C. H. Cordon, 503 East Shine St., Kinston, N. C.	5.00
Elder B. J. Gregory, 612 Massey St., Selma, N. C.	5.00
Elder J. E. Dunn, Route 5, Kinston, N. C.	5.00
Elder S. L. Lofton, 406 Georgia Ave., Goldsboro, N. C.	5.00
Elder J. F. Whitfield, 815-8th St., N. W., Roanoke, Va.	5.00
Elder A. Parker, 316 Clay St., Kinston, N. C.	5.00
Elder W. B. Parks, 901 East Holly St., Kinston, N. C.	5.00
Elder H. D. Davis, 1210 East Macon St., Kinston, N. C.	5.00
Elder H. O. Wiggs, Wilsons Mills, N. C.	5.00
Elder J. C. Artis, Faison, N. C.	5.00
Elder W. G. Best, P. O. Box 111, Selma, N. C.	5.00
Elder J. S. Johnson, Goldsboro, N. C.	5.00
Elder E. F. Johnson, Dover, N. C.	5.00
Elder R. Croom, Grifton, N. C.	5.00
Elder L. D. Wiggs, Route 6, Goldsboro, N. C.	5.00
Elder B. C. Whitfield, 304 East Freemason St., Norfolk, Va.	5.00
Elder W. M. Godwin, 408 Hines St., Wilson, N. C.	5.00
Elder J. L. Lee, Faison, N. C.	5.00
Elder W. W. Webb, Wilson, N. C.	5.00
Elder Z. V. Quinerly, Grifton, N. C.	5.00
Elder W. M. King, Route 2, Kinston, N. C.	5.00
Elder I. W. Faison, Wilson, N. C.	5.00
Elder J. R. Pitt, Pikeville, N. C.	5.00
Elder R. Thompson, Bailey, N. C.	5.00
Elder P. R. Mewborn, Ayden, N. C.	5.00
Elder W. M. Hopson, Freeman, Va.	5.00
Elder C. H. W. Holloway, Raleigh, N. C.	5.00
Elder W. M. McArthur, New Bern, N. C.	5.00
Elder P. H. Howell, Goldsboro, N. C.	5.00
Elder J. H. Smith, 2223 Reuvoid Ave., Norfolk, Va.	5.00
Elder J. H. Rouse, Princeton, N. C.	5.00
Elder J. S. Ray, 417 Herman St., Goldsboro, N. C.	5.00
Elder J. T. Foy, New Bern, N. C.	5.00
Elder I. Graham, R.F.D., Kinston, N. C.	5.00
Elder J. C. Person, P. O. Box 121, Ayden, N. C.	5.00
Elder H. A. Whitfield, 214 East Shine St., Kinston, N. C.	5.00
Elder G. B. Barden, Clinton, N. C.	5.00
Elder James Graham, R.F.D., Kinston, N. C.	5.00
Elder James Boykins, P. O. Box 844, Wilson, N. C.	5.00
Elder I. Morris, Grifton, N. C.	5.00
Elder E. Z. Coley, Dudley, N. C.	5.00
Elder W. I. Hawkins, Wilson, N. C.	5.00
Elder W. H. Wortham, Clinton, N. C.	5.00
Elder R. H. Exum, Pikeville, N. C.	5.00
Elder J. W. Pitt, Emporia, Va.	5.00
Elder A. B. Aycock, Pikeville, N. C.	5.00
Elder J. C. Leathers, Goldsboro, N. C.	5.00
Elder T. S. Simmons, LaGrange, N. C.	5.00
Elder J. T. Cox, Trenton, N. C.	5.00
Elder James Hill, R.F.D., Kinston, N. C.	5.00
Elder J. Hall, 1347 Wide St., Norfolk, Va.	5.00
Elder G. W. Kelly, Kinston, N. C.	1.00
Elder A. Alston, Kinston, N. C., Due	$ 5.00
Elder Alex Gerry, R.F.D., Kinston, N. C., Due	5.00
Elder J. W. McPhail, Route 1, Godwin, N. C., Due	5.00
Elder James Wilkes, Route 2, Grifton, N. C.	5.00

Elder S. L. Kirkman, Route 6, Box 138, Kinston, N. C.	5.00
Elder E. D. Harris, Spring Hope, N. C.	5.00
Elder J. T. Jones, Route 2, Box 214, Norfolk, Va.	5.00
Elder H. A. McLaurin, Clarkton, N. C.	10.00
Elder G. W. Jones, Simms, N. C.	10.00
Elder Moses Battle, Goldsboro, N. C.	10.00
Elder S. H. Williams, Goldsboro, N. C.	20.00
Elder J. T. Barnes, Goldsboro, N. C.	20.00
Elder N. T. Kirkman, R.F.D., Kinston, N. C.	20.00
Elder W. L. Grantham, Zebulon, N. C.	10.00
Elder J. A. Perry, Bailey, N. C.	10.00
Elder L. L. Lucas, Raleigh, N. C.	10.00
Elder J. H. Letman, Raleigh. N. C.	10.00
Elder J. D. Crudup, Richmond, Va.	15.00
Elder L. E. Harris, Rocky Mount, N. C.	10.00
Elder P. R. Best, Mount Olive, N. C.	10.00
Elder O. L. Lucas, Raleigh, N. C.	10.00
Elder G. T. Taylor, Smithfield, N. C.	15.00
Elder James Moses, Goldsboro, N. C.	15.00
Elder J. L. Artis, Durham, N. C.	10.00
Elder Joseph Davis, Richmond, Va.	15.00

EXCUSED ELDERS.

Elder J. E. Wiggs	Selma, N. C.
Elder W. M. Cox	Faison, N. C.
Elder E. M. Cox	Kinston, N. C.
Elder J. Raynor	New Bern, N. C.
Elder G. W. Kelly	Kinston, N. C.

DECEASED ELDERS.

Elder E. D. Warren	Clinton, N. C.
Elder R. L. Brown	Goldsboro, N. C.

LOCAL MINISTERS ROLL.

Bro. A. L. Hart	$ 3.00	Bro. Golden Powell	3.00
Bro. George Dunn	3.00	Bro. James S. Hopson	3.00
Bro. G. T. Taylor	3.00	Bro. J. E. Royster	3.00
Bro. W. E. Dodd	3.00	Bro. Robert Brown	3.00
Bro. Henry Artis	3.00	Bro. William Warren excused	
Bro. Thomas Jackson	3.00	Bro. J. W. Wiles	3.00
Bro. G. R. Fields	3.00	Bro. W. M. Thorne	3.00
Bro. Amos Novell	3.00		

ROLL OF DELEGATES.

Bro. W. G. Grantham	3.00	Sister Ida Simms	$ 3.00
Bro. W. H. McLaurin	3.00	Sister Viola Smith	3.00
Bro. S. Pearsall	3.00	Sister Lena Holloway	3.00
Bro. J. F. Royal	3.00	Sister Lucy Harrison	3.00
Bro. Henry Beaman	3.00	Sister Annie Elks	3.00
Bro. E. L. Battle	3.00	Sister Martha J. Atkinson	3.00
Bro. J. B. Barnes	3.00	Sister Mariner Jones	3.00
Bro. J. H. Todd	3.00	Sister Almeta Sanders	3.00
Bro. George D. Moye	3.00	Sister Gladys Burnett	3.00
Bro. James Rountree	3.00	Sister Lena Whitfield	3.00
Bro. E. J. Jenkins	3.00	Sister Ellen Giles	3.00
Bro. James Howell	3.00	Sister Annie Smith	3.00
Bro. J. O. Phillips	3.00	Sister Fanny Jones	3.00
Bro. L. H. Bryant	3.00	Sister Hattie Williams	3.00
Bro. Chas. Edwards	3.00		

RESOLUTIONS.

1. Resolved, That all money paid in during the sitting of the Assembly shall be reserved for the following purposes, after all expenses have been paid. One fourth shall be deposited for the Superannuated and the remainder divided equally for the Assembly and Educational purposes, Goldsboro and Raleigh District and Church Extension, Washington and Norfolk District.

2. Each apportionment shall have a different treasurer and all collectors shall deposit the funds collected in the treasury for which it is collected and further, that no draft on these funds be honored by these treasurers, except legally signed by the proper authorities.

SPECIAL FOR GOLDSBORO CHRISTIAN INSTITUTE.

(a) Teacher's salary, expense funds and all other expense shall be paid directly by the treasurer of the Education Fund upon requisition by the president of the Institute upon regular forms, signed by the chairman and secretary of the Trustee Board, a copy of which shall be sent to the Scribe of the Assembly and Educational Treasurer for his payment.

(b) The principal shall file written report to the chairman of the Trustee Board once each month, giving average daily attendance and running expense and report annually to the Assembly, giving complete and detailed report.

(c) The Trustee Board shall report to the Assembly annually and this report shall comprise the total monthly reports of the Institute.

3. The said moneys shall not be paid or used for any other purpose without consent from the General Assembly.

4. No minister of the Disciple faith shall maltreat his wife or deny being married when from home. Preachers guilty of such offenses shall be referred to the Council of Seven for trial and their active service with the connection shall cease until acquitted.

No man belonging to the Disciples shall be allowed to give out circulars, subscription papers, or ask any aid of any congregation that he is not in charge of for any purpose without permission from the pastor in charge.

6. No man belonging to the Disciples shall be allowed in any of the churches to preach unless he can show printed license from Assembly.

7. No brother with the Disciples shall be set apart to preach unless he has a common school education, a working knowledge of the Bible, good morals and a good Christian character.

8 No minister with the Disciples shall be allowed to give a mortgage or claim on any church property or persuade any congregation to do so.

9. Any minister that is known to try to divide any congregation with the Disciples of Christ for any cause, his license shall be revoked.

10. In case of vacancy occurring during the intervening of the Assembly by death or any trouble that may occur between Church and pastor, the said church shall have a right to elect andother preacher and notify the Chief and Councilmen and they shall assign said preacher if possible; and any authorized or ordained preacher found interfering in any way with the filling of said vacancy shall be Counciled.

11. Any minister that is present at the Assembly and shall go away from the Assembly attempting to make void any of its rules shall be counciled.

12. All ministers who accept the choice of a Church or Churches shall serve for the period chosen if possible.

13. No man coming from the denomination will be set apart to preach for the Disciples until he understands the gospel as taught by the Disciples.

14 Any young brother that has been raised up among the Disciples shall not be set apart to preach the gospel until pastor and congregation are well satisfied that he is qualified, but he shall be given power by his pastor and congregation to exercise his gift.

15. All pastors and congregations shall give letters of dismissal when requested.

16. All members who leave their respective churches for twelve months shall apply before leaving for a certificate of absence

17. All members that are away from the church shall correspond as often as once in three months.

18. All Elders must be connected with some local congregation.

19. Any member of the church found intemperate shall be tried by the church to which he or she belongs and if found guilty shall be expelled until reformed.

20. That no preacher be found lying around the congregation of another preacher.

21. That when the former pastor has resigned a Church or a new pastor called, the Church shall send a letter of commendation to the Assembly respecting his honor as he has done.

22. In towns of 5,000 inhabitants no preacher is allowed to build a new church nearer an old Church than one mile without the consent of the Council Board and in the country not nearer than four miles

23. I, W. A. Jones, propose, that no minister belonging with the Disciples who knowingly does not conform to the agreements of the General Assembly or uses his influence in his congregation for the same shall be elected to any office or appointment of the General Assembly

24. Any member of any social congregation who does not do his or her duty shall not be allowed any voice in the congregation nor shall be elected as a delegate to the Assembly, Union Meeting or any other important meeting

25. Each minister is requested to pay into the Assembly annually $5.00 and each delegate is requested to pay $3.00 annually.

26. That the Assembly requests each member to pay $1 00 annually for the Assembly.

27. Each Church shall hold a Children's Day during the summer and the collection be or go for Educational purposes (Goldsboro and Raleigh District) or Church Extension (Washington and Norfolk District).

28. No money or moneys shall be paid out of the Assembly treasury without an order signed by the Chief and Scribe

29. No member of this Church shall leave his wife except for fornication and adultery.

30. All Elders shall attend Union Meetings in their respective Districts

31. All Deacons and Officers shall be subject to their pastor. Upon failing they shall be excluded from their office

32. All ministers who receive candidates for baptism shall or should baptize them as early as possible.

33. No Church shall have the right to elect but one Elder to serve them one Sunday in the year, but the pastor in charge has the power to choose any preacher that he desires to assist him on any Sunday during his absence.

34. No pastor coming from other denominations shall hold any charge as pastor until he has been in the connection 12 months, except in necessity

35. No Council shall remove a preacher from his Church which he is called or sent to except for cause known against his moral and Christian character.

36. All pastors shall see each year that the Churches report to the Assembly which they hold in charge.

37. That no Deacon has the power to close the doors of the Church against his pastor or stop him from preaching, but can notify the Seven Councilmen.

38. No Church shall have the right to run two or three preachers at the same time against the pastor who shall have first vote, and if majority is against him, then the Church can vote for another preacher. This election,

however shall be held on the pastor's regular preaching Sunday in June or the next nearest service day.

39. No member shall have the right to invite any Elder to come and preach to the Church to which he or she belongs except by permission from pastor or deacon and the said invited preacher shall not accept of said invitation unless by consent of pastor.

40. There shall be a Sunday School Assembly held in every Union meeting district annually and the proceeds shall be reported to the Assembly.

41. All pastors in charge of Churches shall have control of all money raised in preaching service except expense of the Church service on said day.

42. No Church shall elect any man as Deacon who has not been in Church one year.

43. No preacher shall promise to accept the pastorate of two Churches whose service day and hours are the same.

44. The officers of the Assembly shall be elected annually.

45. Resolved, That these Resolutions go into effect upon their adoption by the General Assembly and shall be null and void without the votes of the General Assembly.

46. That all women preachers among the Disciples shall have a pastor and shall be subject to their pastor in regard to her Mission or Church.

47. Resolved, That the Trustee Board of the Goldsboro and Raleigh District shall not have the power to give a mortgage or note, or borrow any money on the school property without the consent of the Assembly and Chief and Councilmen of the G. R. D No money shall be paid out of the treasuries of either the Assembly or of the School or of the Superannuated except by an order signed by the Chief and Secretary of this Assembly.

48. That no member or members shall organize anything in the Churches, without the consent of the Deacon Board and pastors of said churches.

49. Be it Resolved That there shall be a quorum of sermons: 1. An Educational sermon; 2nd. Temperance sermon; 3rd. A Doctrinal sermon, preached at each Assembly and the preachers appointed to preach them from one Assembly to the other.

50. Resolved, That there be no prohibition against a preacher of the Western District pastoring in the East and Eastern preachers pastoring in the West, providing, however, that the Churches must represent in their respective Districts and each pastor shall be accountable for the collection of said funds and their delivery made to the District

51. That all Deacons be required to attend Sunday School, Prayer Meeting and other religious service and that on time, else they shall be dropped from their office and new appointments made by the pastor and church.

52. Resolved, That we accept the Constitution of the Women's Missionary Society, except as to salaries and recommend the following scale: President $7.00 for the term, Vice-President $3.00 for the term, Scribe $7 00 for the term, Assistant Scribe $3.00 for the term, Banking Committee $2.00 each per day and Railroad fare or its equivalent.

53 Resolved, That there shall be created the office of District Supervisor and his duty shall be to sit in the official column and see that the rules of the Assembly are carried out as per resolutions and shall preside at such times as question involving the Chief are being discussed and he shall receive twenty dollars ($20.00) annually.

54. Resolved, That there shall not be any drums or timbrels allowed as a form of worship in any of the Churches of Christ in our District.

55. That all members of the Churches of Christ who are delinquent with their pastor shall not be allowed to unite to any other Church of Christ, until such member pays those delinquent funds, and when any pastor resigns a church no delinquent member shall be placed in office nor considered as a legal member, neither shall such person or persons be allowed to

unite to any Church of Christ. Any pastor receiving such person or persons into any Church shall be removed as pastor.

56. That there shall be a Minister's and Laymen's Conference held at the Goldsboro Christian Institute, Goldsboro, N. C., each year in the month of June, for the ministers and laymen of the Goldsboro and Raleigh District and there shall be a similar conference held in Washington and Norfolk District, at such time as they deem appropriate.

57. That the agreement of the Ministers' and Deacon's Union relative to Church polity be adopted by this Assembly for a permanent guide for the Church.

58. That all ministers be compelled to attend the ministers' and laymen's conference in their respective Districts. And that ministers be requested to study the questions for discussion in the next session.

AIM AND PLEA OF THE CHURCH.

We, the Disciples of Christ of Eastern North Carolina wishing to be in complete accord and agreement on the doctrine of the Church set forth the following which has been the slogan of the Church for one hundred and sixty years:

General Aim of the Church: Restoration of the New Testament

Plea of the Church: No creed but Christ; no book but the Bible; no man but the Divine.

Where the Book speaks, we speak; where the Book is silent we are silent. In essentials unity; in non-essentials liberty; in all things Charity.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CHURCH OF CHRIST.

At .....

Received .....

Excluded .....

Died .....

Present Membership.....

General Contributions.....

Preaching Sunday.....

Delegate .....

Pastor in charge for 19..... Elder.....

Please send us Elder..... for 19....

We want the..... next year, 19....

Valuation of Church Property..... $.....

Paid Pastor ..... $.....

Paid Evangelist ..... $.....

Paid Local Preachers..... $.....

Church Repairs ..... $.....

Other regular expenses..... $.....

For Union Meeting..... $.....

For Sunday School..... $.....

Total ..... $.....

This is filed by.....

For the year ending..... 19.....

CHURCH, POST OFFICE, PASTOR AND DELEGATE	Received	Baptized	Excluded	Died	Present Membership	Financial Membership	Total Membership	General Contribution	Valuation of Church Property	Paid Pastor	Paid Evangelist	Paid Local Ministers	Sunday School Convention	Church Repairs	Contributions for Education	Other Expenses	Delegates Fees	Preaching Sunday
Alum Springs, Dover—P. R. Mewborn; Letter..	2	3	..	..	50	....	50	$ 30.00	$ 150.00	$ 132.63	$.....	$.....	$.....	$96.00	$.....	$.....	$.....	1st
Antioch, Clayton—W. G. Best; Viola Smith.....	6	..	..	1	14	....	....	10.00	1000.00	97.15	.....	47.57	.....	.....	.....	.....	3.00	2nd
Antioch, Hookerton—J. C. Artice.....	..	..	..	..	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Clifton Chapel, Wilson—W. M. Godwin.....	15	7	8	..	85	40	85	16.00	2500.00	205.00	22.35	5.00	3.35	85.00	.....	8.00	.....	4th
Damascus Chapel, Clarkton—.....	..	..	..	..	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Eastern Star, Norfolk—J. H. Smith; By Letter.	12	4	2	..	80	38	80	14.00	3000.00	200.00	75.00	.....	.....	25.00	.....	.....	.....	1, 2, 3, 4
Elm Grove, Pikeville—H. D. Davis;Jonas Howell	39	..	6	6	270	....	....	51.00	5000.00	285.00	12.00	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	3.00	2nd
Green Leaf, Goldsboro—C. R. D. Whitfield;Letter	8	..	..	7	250	....	....	37.00	6000.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	250.00	.....	3rd
Granger Ch., Granger—H. D. Davis; J. Phillips	10	..	2	1	106	....	....	25.00	3500.00	275.00	20.00	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	3.00	3rd
Grifton Ch.,Grifton—E. F. Johnson;L. H. Bryant	7	..	..	4	70	....	....	22.50	3000.00	146.15	.....	.....	3.00	36.50	.....	92.00	3.00	1st
Flat Rock, Sims—J. H. Rouse; Letter.....	27	15	35	4	85	....	....	16.00	2500.00	250.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	80.00	.....	.....	4th
Faison, Faison—W. B. Parks; Letter.....	4	..	1	..	80	....	....	2.00	1000.00	350.00	.....	.....	.....	1.50	.....	1.10	.....	2nd
Harris Chapel, Zebulon—J. S. Johnson; Letter	1	..	..	..	9	....	....	3.00	800.00	6.00	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3rd
Heather Grove,Greenville—A. Parker;C.Edwards	10	..	3	1	23	....	....	9.00	800.00	83.00	20.00	.....	3.42	18.00	.....	10.00	3.00	3rd
Hickory Grove,Kinston—J. C. Person;;By Letter	20	13	..	2	85	....	....	34.00	3500.00	127.55	22.00	18.70	.....	99.40	.....	28.10	.....	4th
Holly Hill,Bests—C. R. D. Whitfield;L.Holloway	21	2	2	2	157	....	....	33.00	3000.00	208.20	21.00	54.14	.....	.....	.....	25.00	3.00	2nd
Holly Grove, Clinton—B. B. Banks; Letter.....	13	7	22	3	100	....	....	17.00	1500.00	104.97	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.00	.....	4th
Kings Ch., Kinston—S. L. Loftin;Lucy Harrison	18	..	..	..	157	....	....	21.50	2000.00	204.83	9.40	28.00	.....	.....	.....	8.00	.....	1st
Heath Chapel, Kinston—.....	..	..	..	..	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Little Creek, Ayden—I. W. Faison; G. D. Wood	30	..	..	3	195	....	....	51.50	3000.00	276.00	68.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3.00	3rd
LaGrange, LaGrange—T. S. Simmons; Letter..	6	..	..	1	28	....	....	10.00	2000.00	75.00	10.00	6.00	.....	.....	.....	6.00	.....	4th
Lattis Chapel, Stem—A. B. Aycock; Letter.....	6	2	..	1	10	....	....	7.00	1500.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1st
Macedonia, Wilson—I. W. Faison; Letter.....	3	..	8	..	11	....	....	7.00	1000.00	.....	6.15	.....	.....	95.00	13.00	.....	.....	3rd
Macedonia, Clinton—.....	..	..	..	..	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Morning Star,Rocky Mount—W.B. Parks;A. Elks	27	15	..	3	51	....	....	15.00	4000.00	300.00	75.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.00	3.00	1—3
Mount Zion, Calypso—A. B. Aycock.....	12	..	20	2	62	....	....	20.00	2000.00	130.00	.....	.....	.....	20.00	.....	35.00	.....	3rd
Moys Chapel, Goldsboro—J. L. Lee; Letter.....	..	..	..	..	12	....	....	5.00	400.00	40.00	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3rd
Mt.Olive,Lawrenceville,Va.—W.M.Hopson;Letter	4	..	..	..	26	....	....	6.45	750.00	76.75	25.00	.....	.....	21.73	.....	10.00	.....	1 -3
Oaky Grove, Selma—J. M. Boykin; Letter.....	16	16	..	..	21	....	....	.....	1000.00	50.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1st
Pleasant Un.,Golds.—G. B. Borden;W. Grantham	6	5	..	..	50	....	....	34.00	1500.00	108.89	.....	.....	.....	3.00	.....	5.00	3.00	1st
Pleasant Gr.,Dreweryville,Va—C. Cordon; Letter	2	..	..	..	8	....	....	8.00	3000.00	58.94	10.00	1.75	.....	.....	.....	1.65	.....	2nd

Pleas, Gor.,Freeman, Va.—W. Hopson;C.E.Chase	3				36			7.00	1000.00	11.0								4th
Pleas. Gr.,Fayetteville—G. Borden;W. McLaurin	10	3		1	25			14.00	450.00	192.00	1.50	38.00				5.01	3.00	4th
Phillippi,Greenville—S. L. Loftin;M. J. Atkinson	8			2	80		120	30.00	5000.00	328.79	25.00	25.00				72.00	3.00	2nd
Pineville Ch.,Wilson Mills—W Wortham;Letter	1				15			8.00	1500.00	96.00					100.00			2nd
Piney Gr., Arapahoe—H. Shepherd;S.Dickerson	5			1	44			8.00	5000.00	100.00		5.75				5.00	3.00	1st
Quaker House, Trenton—J. S. Ray; M. Jones	2	2			19			19.00	500.00	40.00	4.10						3.00	2nd
Running Branch, Clinton—E. Z. Coley;L. Royal	8				68			24.00	3500.00	150.00	30.50	7.00		25.00	15.00		3.00	1st
Rouse Chapel,Kinston—E. F. Johnson;H. Taylor	12	6			42			10.65	2000.00	150.00		2.60				5.00	3.00	3rd
St. Paul, Wilson—S. L. Loftin; Letter	6				69			9.00	150.00	125.00				11.00		42.00		2—4
St. Paul, Zebulon—J. H. Frazier																		
St. Paul, Ayden—H. D. Davis;Gladys Burney	70		2	1	177			26.00	4000.00	300.00	15.00	3.11		500.00		108.00	3.00	1st
St. Paul, New Bern—A. Parker; Letter	1				39			10.00	2000.00	100.00	10.50	8.00				9.00		1—3
St. Paul, Clinton—J. R. Pitt; Henry Beaman	6		1		61			18.00	2000.00	129.70	25.00					24.89	3.00	4th
St. Peter, Kinston—I. W. Faison; E. L. Battle	25		4		300			54.00	12000.00	465.00	17.00			777.00			3.00	2—4
St. Peter, Smithfield—W. Fordham; A. Saunders	20			4	158			45.00	3000.00	500.00	35.00					3.50	3.00	2—4
St. Peter, Norfolk—B. C. Whitfield	20	6			80	40	120	12.00	4500.00	125.00	25.00	4.00		75.00	10.00	300.00		1, 2, 3, 4
St. Peter, Farmville—J. R. Pitt; Letter	16				45			15.00	150.00							2.00		3rd
St. Peter, Philadelphia—																		
St. Rose, Wilson—B. J. Gregory; James Barnes	25	15		3	125			64.00	4000.00	300.00	25.00	25.00		25.00		34.00	3.00	3—4
St. Mark, Richmond—W. M. Hopson; Letter					8			2.00	1300.00	87.00								2nd
St. Mark,Stantonsburg—J. C. Artis;W.M.Hosten	28	16	25	1	150	70	150	50.00	3500.00	221.65	70.46			176.20		23.00	3.00	4th
St. Mark,Goldsboro—H. D. Davis;Lena Whitfield	15			1	70			10.00	3000.00	250.00	30.00					137.00	3.00	4th
St. Luke, Goldsboro—C. H. Cordon; Annie Smith	25		5	1	200			51.00	3000.00	365.67	41.96			185.00		111.00	3.00	1—3
St. Luke, Mount OliveZ. V. Greenlay;B. Jarman	2			1	54			15.00	2000.00	190.00	15.00			50.00			3.00	1st
St. Luke, Tarboro—S. L. Loftin; Letter	10		3	2	20			15.00	1500.00	150.00	25.00	10.00		50.00		10.00		3rd
St. Stephens,Trenton—E. F. Johnson;E. Johnson	3			1	50			20.00	1300.00	101.18				101.18	6.00		3.00	2nd
St. Stephen,Princeton—H. A. Whitfield;E.Jarvis	36	17		1	85			16.00	1500.00	136.60	13.15	10.50		15.00		5.00	3.00	2nd
St. James, Elm City—W. M. Hopson;J. H. Todd	2			1	19			9.25	75.00	125.00						5.00	3.00	2nd
St. James, Fountain—W. B. Parks	20	11		1	101			50.00	2500.00	300.00	25.00					25.00		4th
St. James, Vanceboro—J. C. Person; Letter	5				37			10.00	1000.00	125.00	13.00							1st
St. James, Kinston—Jas. Graham; Letter	8	4	1		24			5.00	600.00	100.00		15.00		10.00				4th
St. James, Goldsboro—J. S. Ray																		
St. John, Dover—J. C. Person; Letter	4	3			43			14.50	1000.00	111.94				13.36		5.00		1st
St. John, Zebulon—R. Thompson																		
St. John, Middlesex																		
St. Matthew, Zebulon—W. G. Best																		4th
St. Matthew, Farmville—J. NewbornFan. Jones	2				12			8.00	2000.00	75.00	12.00	5.00				5.00		2nd
St. Joseph,Kinston—W. G. Best;Hattie Williams	15			2	45			19.00	1500.00	125.00	12.00	5.00	5.00				3.00	1—3
St. Mary, Bailey—R. Thompson; Emma Powell	28		25	6	150			32.00	35000.00	360.00	22.00	35.00	10.00			36.00	3.00	1—3
Shiloh, Grifton—J. E. Dunn; Letter					75			8.50										
Selma, Selma—W. A. Fordham; Thos. Edwards	21			2	97			55.00	6000.00	250.00		13.70	125.50			24.00	3.00	1—3
Snow Hill, WadeJ. C. Artice; Lillie M. Hatcher	5	3	3	2	29			8.00		156.28						10.00	3.00	1st
Parkers Chapel, Goldsboro—J. S. Ray																		

STATISTICAL TABLE

CHURCH, POST OFFICE, PASTOR AND DELEGATE	Received	Baptized	Excluded	Died	Present Membership	Financial Membership	Total Membership	General Contribution	Valuation of Church Property	Paid Pastor	Paid Evangelist	Paid Local Ministers	Sunday School Convention	Church Repairs	Contributions for Education	Other Expenses	Delegates Fees	Preaching Sunday
Union Gr.,Clinton—R. B. Banks;Mary Boykins..	9	..	1	..	92	....	....	25.00	1500.00	250.00	.....	5.00	.....	.....	.....	25.00	3.00	3rd
Union Chapel, North Harlowe—	..	..	..	..	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Vine Swamp, Kinston—P. H. Howell; J. Dunn..	18	..	..	3	275	....	....	76.00	35000.00	240.00	.....	.....	.....	26.00	.....	.....	3.00	2nd
Warrens Chapel, Pikeville—J. S. Ray.....	..	..	..	..	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Youngsville, Raleigh—C. H. W. Holloway;Letter	2	..	..	..	12	....	....	4.40	600.00	25.00	.....	.....	.....	1.00	.....	11.00	.....	5—3
Woodington, Piney Grove—P. H. Howell; Letter	1	..	1	..	25	....	....	8.00	1000.00	32.92	.....	.....	.....	8.00	.....	.....	.....	3rd
Zion Light, Norfolk, Va.—J. T. Jones.....	..	..	..	..	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Zion Spring, Bunn—E. F. Johnson.....	19	12	1	..	55	....	....	.....	150.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4th
St. Mark, LaGrange—H. A. Whitfield.....	..	..	..	..	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
New Bern Chapel, Kinston—Jas. Graham; Letter	10	4	1	1	27	....	....	3.00	.....	.....	.....	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2nd
St. Andrews Chapel, Goldsboro—J. L. Lee;Letter	1	..	..	..	....	....	....	5.00	400.00	70.00	.....	10.00	1.00	4.90	.....	46.27	.....	2—4
Littlefield, Littlefield—C. L. Grimes.....	..	..	..	..	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
St. Paul, Raleigh—	..	..	..	..	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
MISSIONS																		
Dermit Chapel, Pikeville—K. D. Wilder.....	3	2	..	..	....	....	....	.....	200.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Shelmerdine—	..	..	..	..	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3rd
Salemboro—J. C. Leathers.....	..	..	..	..	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chinquapin—F. Graham	..	..	..	..	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3rd
Fremont	..	..	..	..	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Best Chapel, Snow Hill—W. M. Godwin.....	..	..	..	..	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fayetteville	..	..	..	..	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Salemburg	..	..	..	..	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mill Chapel—James Wilks; Letter.....	6	5	..	..	6	....	....	2.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2nd
St. Thomas,Enfield—F. R.Williams;B. Nicholson	20	..	5	..	41	....	....	21.00	600.00	311.62	50.00	.....	.....	.....	25.00	650.00	3.00	3rd
Delway	..	..	..	..	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Womans Home Mis. Convention—Rachel Dancy	..	..	..	..	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50.00	.....	.....	.....
Sunday School Convention No. 1—E. L. Battle..	..	..	..	..	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sunday School Convention No. 4—Martha Ellis.	..	..	..	..	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Young Men's Christian League.....	..	..	..	..	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25.00	.....	.....	.....
NEW CHURCHES.																		
James Chapel, Sharpsboro—A. B. Jones; Letter	4	..	..	..	4	....	....	3.00	35.00	15.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4th
Cenie Grove, Black Creek—. H. Artice;J. Barnes	20	..	..	..	20	....	....	3.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1st

Money paid in at Union Meeting—St. James, Vanceboro, $7.00; St. James, Kinston, $10.00; Shiloh, Grifton, $2.00.

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